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In Memoriam

Notices in The New York Herald offer mute testimony of the thoughtfulness of those still here.

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THE NEW YORK HERALD

EDISON NOT AIMING AT COLLEGE GRADS

Famous List of Questions Not for Their Especial Benefit, He Says.

PREFERRED TO OTHERS

Says Value of Questionnaire Was Destroyed by Publicity.

IS PREPARING A NEW ONE

Will Copyright It and Threatens Terrors of Law to Those Printing It.

Although Thomas A. Edison was !! at his home in New Jersey last night with a cold which he caught while on a fishing trip last week, he managed to work most of the night on a great pile of questionnaires which prospective employees of the Edison plant have attempted to answer during the last few days, and in assembling a mass of material out of which he in- two post office clerks charged with emtends to prepare another list of ques- bezzling \$75,000 received for postal savtions which he will submit to appliing certificates and of a third prisoner

"The value of the list I had," said stealing money orders, the post office Mr. Edison, "has been destroyed, so authorities said that a series of thefts in far as I am concerned, because of the which the Goverdnment lost more than publicity it has received, and because of the fact that The New York Herald printed all of the answers. But no one will print this new list that I'm preparing, because I am going to copyright it, and any paper that prints it as an Edison questionnaire will have to go to law about it."

Mr. Edison told a New Tork Herald reporter that the general public misunderstands him entirely so far as concerns his attitude toward college men. He declared that he is not shooting at Duniay and Rosenberg worked to-Duniay and Rosenberg wo publicity it has received, and because \$175,000 had been solved. All three

college men particularly with his lists of questions: on the contrary, he wants college men, and prefers a man with a college education to any other sort.

Some "Terribly Dumb."

"Most of the men who have answered my questions are college men," he said, "and they make the best type of employees. But some of them are so terminates of the man was a college men," he said, "and they make the best type of employees. But some of them are so terminates of the man was a college men," he said, "and they make the best type of employees. But some of them are so terminates of the man was a college men," he said, "and they make the best type of employees. But some of them are so terminates of the man was a college men, and prefers a man with a college men, and a coording to Mr. Schwartz, and great we will be postal savings cage at the branch, according to Mr. Schwartz, and prefers a man with a college men, and a coording to Mr. Schwartz, and coording to Mr. Schwartz, and coording

"Most of the men who have answered my questions are college men." he said. "and they make the best type of employees. But some of them are so terribly dumb! Just look at this." he went on, picking up one of the lists which lay before him. "Here is a questionnaire contribution." on, picking up one of the lists which lay before him. "Here is a questionnaire sent back by a man with a high technical education and as fine a personal record as I have ever seen. But he is amazingly ignorant of the ordinary things; out of thirty questions he has answered only about three. To me that

amazingly ignorant of the ordinary things; out of thirty questions he has answered only about three. To me that proves that he is not observant, that he doesn't know what is going on in the world about him and that he doesn't read the newspapers correctly. Any man who reads the papers and reads the really informative news which all of them contain will be able to make an A B C grade every time."

Mr. Edison said that the "thing that gets my goat" is the terrible gap that his questionnaires have shown to lie between the A B C men and the X Y Z men, between the ones who can answer a large percentage of the questions and those who fail utterly.

"Where are the D F G men?" he asked, "and the R S T men? All of the boys who come here for jobs are either very good or they are very bad; there do not seem to be any middle men; none who are not terribly full of knowledge now, but full enough that there might be hope for them later on. I would like to find some of these men, but now I seem to get hold of only the A B C men and the X Y Z men."

The inventor said that he was ar-

ignorance of the average college grad-uate. But with all of the ignorance displayed Mr. Edison said that he had had very fine results from the ques-tionnaires.

"Many of the boys who came in with A B C ratings," he said, "have been placed in executive positions of great responsibility and they are making good. In fact, every boy who was able to answer these questions made good. from the beginning

to answer these questions made good from the beginning.

"I originated the idea of the question-naire because I have never been able to tell by looking at a man how much ability he possessed. I decided to question every applicant for a job and find out how much he knew and if he was a live wire. Since I put this system into effect I have come very close to getting what I want in employees, and I do not expect to have so many losses as I used to have when the hiring was hit or miss. Every year in the United States billions of dollars are lost because incompetents are hired and put into positions of responsibility."

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Mr. Edison said that he had received a great many anonymous letters since the newspapers began giving publicity to his system of hiring men. Many of them, he said, were "villainous," but he has not turned any over to the police, because none of them has been signed and there has been nothing but the postmark to indicats where they came from the police of the company's overseas passenger carrying by sailing May 21 for Cherbourt. Southampton and Hamburg.

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EDUCATION COMMISSIONER FAILS IN THE EDISON TEST

Thinks 'Domestic' Sardines Are From Italy, Can't Bound West Virginia and Is Shy on Knowledge of Copra and Window Glass Manufacture.

According to the Edison mental test, if you cannot answer this question promptly you're ignorant—which goes to prove that you may be a highbrow by the usual standards, and ignorant when the world? The Mississippi; I give up," he continued.

He did not know how to bound West

by the usual standards, and ignorant under the wizard's rule.

Dr. Philander P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education, who is entitled to add most of the letters of the alphabet to his name to indicate his collège and university degrees, failed today, not only on the sardine question, but in several others, notwithstanding

ARRESTS UNCOVER

LARGE MAIL THEFTS

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ing Cash Totalling \$175,000

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Orbita Here on First Trip as Royal Mail Ship.

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Com-pany's new liner Orbita defied off shore

pany's new liner Orbita defied off shore and on shore superstition yesterday by arriving on Friday the thirteenth, after a fine passage from Southampton and Cherbourg, her skipper, Capt. J. E. Pardoe-Matthews, attributing her immunity from inauspicious things partly to the little green porcelain Japanese god adorning his rolltop desk in his cabin. The skipper was stumped when asked for the little green god.

The Orbita was an auxiliary cruiser in the war, entering it just after she

"I suppose domestic sardines from-er-Italy," he said, triumphantly, but hesi-tatingly. Then he admitted he didn't

Virginia, was shy on any knowledge about copra or window glass manufacabout copra or window glass manufac-ture and finally took refuge in some other questions that he could not an-swer, by saying:
"Still, it's a good test in quick thinking, breadth of knowledge and memory."

CALLS ROCKEFELLER

Anti-Vivisectionist Denounces 'Freak Surgery.'

wen, president of the British Union for the Abolition of Vivisection, in an ad-dress here to-night denounced the Rockefeller Institute as "one of the greatest curses on the face of this earth."

The "freak surgery" of viviscetors of The "freak surgery" of vivisectors of theh institute on various animals, Dr. Hadwen said, "has been of no benefit to humanity."

Experiments made on animals with drugs are futile, Dr. Hadwen added. Asserting that there is no way of knowing whether an animal is under the influence of an angethetic.

ace of an anæthetic. He voiced his opposition also to vac cination, asserting that "nine-tenths the great expenditure of four millions money for those suffering from head disease in the British army is due to direct result of blood poisoning produce by vaccination of British soldiers."

TOO MANY RELATIVES | ASSERTS SIVER HAD SPOIL HAPPY HOME STILL ANOTHER WIFE

Overran His House, Says F. C. Neary, Replying to Separation Suit.

Frank C. Neary, replying yesterday tice Callaghan that his home had been that her husband, who recently disar ing of the hordes of relatives, he said, of New Brunswick, of which he wa

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Mrs. Eggers said that Siver was er walleaper store in Per

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er two young children, and at intervals r husband, Frank Hulzmacher

orting News Bureau and lives

Mrs. Eggers Says They Lived in Her Perth Amboy Home Two Weeks.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eggers, who conducto his wife's suit for separation and ap- a rooming house in 360 State street plication for \$25 a week alimony and Perth Amboy, N. J., told Mrs. Shube happy up to the time his wife invited her peared with Miss Adale Goulz of Perth transformed his formerly peaceful home into "a sort of lodging house."

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will ever be thankful," said Neary in his answer.

The first grievance recited by Neary has to do with his mother-in-law. He said she once stuck a revolver against his stomach and threatened to shoot his down that he told her his wife child would come shortly to live whim. Later the woman and a cripp that the said she once stuck a revolver against his stomach and threatened to shoot the first grievance recited by Neary has to do with his mother-in-law. He said she once stuck a revolver against his stomach and threatened to shoot him. His brother-in-law he described as a "powerful and belligerent mah," who had threatened him on various occasions. The threats, he said, led him to believe that his wife was in danger. "We were happy and contented," said Neary's answer, "until the following people were introduced into my household and were caused to reside there and live therein and overrun the said home without my consent and against my happiness and peace of mind, to wit:

"My mother-in-law, Harry Saul; my sister-in-law, Wilhelmina Hulzmachen, and her two young children, and at intervals

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